



**EPA Region III Area Wide One Cleanup Program Pilot
Little Elk Creek Investigation, Cecil County, MD**

Sites of Concern

Site Name and Address	Former and Current Site Uses	Lead Program Federal or State Jurisdiction Contact Name and Phone No.	Environmental Concerns	Status
Elkton Farm Firehole 183 Zeitler Road, Cecil County	FUDS - Burn pits for munition wastes Currently cultivated farm land	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	buried munitions chromium, mercury, arsenic, lead, TCE, explosive compounds PCE gw plume maybe flowing under GE Rail Car property	Geophysical study complete PA/SI Complete Need assistance from the Army Corp (buried munitions) to further assess the site

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Spectron/Galaxy 111 Providence Rd Elkton, MD	Solvent recovery operation Facility abandoned	NPL Rob Sanchez, EPA 215-814-3451	Soil, gw and surface water impacted Chlorinated organic solvents	CERCAL Removal action GW containment and treatment system in place ROD proposed
Thiokol/ATK Tactical Systems Route 40 Elkton, MD Part of Triumph Industrial Park.	Fireworks and WWII munitions manufacture Pesticide manufacture Currently an operating manufacture of rocket fuel and systems for the space and defense industries	RCRA Corrective Action Linda Holden, EPA 215-814-3428	Soil, gw and surface water impacted Pesticides, PCE, TCE	Gw pump and treat installed for TCE plume Additional/expanded site investigation concluded in 11/02

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GE Railcar/ P&R Railcar Service 505 Blue Ball Rd Elkton, MD Part of Triumph Industrial Park.	Fireworks and WWII munitions manufacture Rail car cleaning and repair facility Facility closed	RCRA Corrective Action Barbara Smith, EPA 215-814-5786	Soil and gw impacted. Offsite gw impacted Benzene, chlorobenzene, chloromethane, chlorinated solvents	Initial site investigation completed in 2002. Further investigation on offsite gw contamination and onsite soil contamination is ongoing.
Route 7 Chemical Dump 1.9 M W OF ROUTE 40 Cecil County, MD	Owned by New Jersey Fireworks Co Quarry Disposal site for fireworks, munitions by-products and scrap rubber. Burn pits and ash dump.	State Superfund program Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	Barium, sw PCE in gw	SI conducted in 1983 and again in 1992. NFRAP

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W.L. Gore Left Bank Site Cecil County, MD Part of Triumph Industrial Park	Fireworks and WWII munitions manufacture Dump site for Galaxy Chemical in the 1960s Currently, light industry and warehousing	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	VOCs SW contamination	State removal action in 1997 (buried drums)
New Jersey Fireworks site 1726 Old Philadelphia Rd Cecil County, MD	Fireworks manufacture Now a fireworks packaging plant - no manufacture. Active facility, may be regulated as a haz waste generator?	State Superfund program Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	Barium, soil Waste disposal areas Old fireworks being stored on site	SI concluded in 2000
Keystone Fireworks	Fireworks manufacture Located across from New Jersey fireworks. Facility is abandoned	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	3 contaminated residential wells near the site- families are on bottled water	No assessments done yet.

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Maryland Cork Part of Triumph Industrial Park.	Fireworks and WWII munitions manufacture Dump site for Galaxy Chemical in the 1960s Currently a cork manufacturer.	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	PCE plume under site - could be from GE railcar or on site dumping areas	PA/SI planned
Crouse Bros Excavating 415 West Pulaski Highway Elkton, MD	Mechanical repair Rubble dump Hauled waste for Galaxy Chemicals	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	TCE plume under site -could be from Thiokal or dumping from Galaxy Chemicals Residential wells contaminated with TCE	PA/SI Water lines installed to nearby residences NFRAP

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Central Chemical Part of Triumph Industrial Park	Former pesticide production Former hazardous waste incinerator abandoned @ 10 yrs ago Currently - pesticide blender/mixer, no production Maybe a regulated generator?	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	PCE plume under site	RI/FS underway
Dwyer Property Route 279 & Blue Ball Rd	FUDS - Fireworks and WWII munitions manufacture Battery manufacture Currently abandoned	State Superfund Art O'Connell, MDE 410-537-3493	VOCs, chlorinated solvents, and inorganics in gw	PA/SI 1989 NFRAP - in 1999 MDE asked EPA to reopen investigation of the site Expanded site investigation complete 2000

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